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In re Application of:

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For: WRITE HEAD HAVING FIRST POLE
PIECE WITH FREQUENCY DEPENDENT
VARIABLE EFFECTIVE THROAT HEIGHT)

Group No.: 2653

Examiner: David Louis Ometz

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AMENDMENT

In response to the final Office Action mailed 12/17/2003 please amend the application as follows.



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